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### AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Docket No.  
108298717US

Application No.  
10/646,607-Conf. #2264

Filing Date  
August 21, 2003

Examiner  
R. K. Dhingra

Art Unit  
1763

Applicant(s): Zheng et al.

Invention: MICROFEATURE WORKPIECE PROCESSING APPARATUS AND METHODS FOR  
BATCH DEPOSITION OF MATERIALS ON MICROFEATURE WORKPIECES

#### TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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CLAIMS AS AMENDED					
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Total Claims	43	- 52 =	0	x	
Independent Claims	6	- 8 =	0	x	
Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) <input type="checkbox"/>					
Other fee (please specify): Extension for response within first month					120.00
<b>TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT:</b>					<b>120.00</b>

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☐ Small Entity

☐ No additional fee is required for this amendment.

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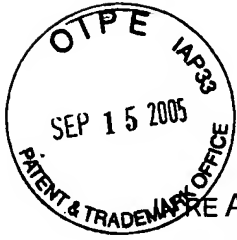
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**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

RE APPLICATION OF: LINGYI A. ZHENG *ET AL.*

APPLICATION No.: 10/646,607

FILED: AUGUST 21, 2003

FOR: **MICROFEATURE WORKPIECE  
PROCESSING APPARATUS AND  
METHODS FOR BATCH DEPOSITION OF  
MATERIALS ON MICROFEATURE  
WORKPIECES**

EXAMINER: R. K. DHINGRA

ART UNIT: 1763

CONF. NO: 2264

**Amendment in Response to Restriction Requirement**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 15, 2005, please amend the application as reflected in the following listing of claims. Please extend the period of time for response by one month, to expire on September 15, 2005. Enclosed are the requisite Petition for Extension of Time and fee.